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This is part of the application for a reissue patent based on the original patent identified below.

Name of Patentee(s) CHANG, Ming Yu

Patent Number 5,897,307

Date Patent Issued 4/27/1999

Title of Invention Disposable Lighter Having a Safety Function of
Preventing Unwanted Ignition

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STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)

Applicant/Patent Owner: CHANG, Ming Yu / CALICO BRANDS, INC.

Application No./Patent No.: 08/881,848 / No. 5,897,307 Filed/Issue Date: E/D 6/24/97

Entitled: Disposable Lighter Having a Safety Feature of Preventing Unwanted Ignition

CALICO BRANDS, INC., a Corporation

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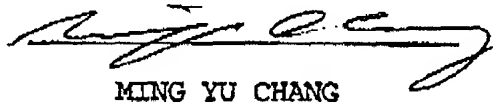
WHEREAS, I, MING YU CHANG, residing at 2240 E. Washington Blvd., Los Angeles CA 90021, have invented certain a new and useful DISPOSABLE LIGHTER HAVING A SAFETY FEATURE OF PREVENTING UNWANTED IGNITION, United States Patent No. 5,897,307, filed June 24, 1997; and

WHEREAS, CALICO BRANDS, INC., a California corporation, having its principle place of business at 13455 Estelle, Home Gardens, CA 91719 is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title, and interest in and to said invention, said Patent and patents which may be granted and issued therefrom in the United States and throughout the world;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of *One Hundred Thousand* dollars (\$100,000.⁰⁰) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I, MING YU CHANG by these presents do hereby sell, assign, and transfer unto said CALICO BRANDS, INC. the entire right, title, and interest, for the territory of the United States of America, and through out the world, including any and all foreign rights and Convention priorities, in and to said invention, application, and Letters Patent; said invention, application, and Letters Patent to be held and enjoyed by said CALICO BRANDS, INC. for its use and behoof and for its successors and assigns to the full and of the term for which said Letters Patent may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by me as if this assignment and sale had not been made;

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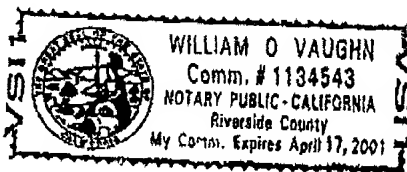
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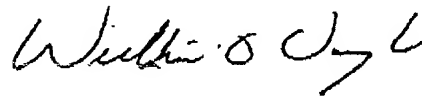

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